CATALOGUE

OF

BIRDS, MEDALS, WOODS, &c.,

IN THE

MUSEUM

OF THE

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(The Birds arranged according to the nomenclature of the Smithsonian Institute.)

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I.—RAPTORES.

(BIRDS OF PREY.)

		No.
Falco anatum	Duck Hawk	5
Falco columbarius	Pigeon "	7
Falco sparverius	Sparrow "	13
Astur atricapillus	Gos "	14
Accipiter fuscus	Sharp-shinned Hawk, male	17
Buteo insignatus	Brown "	21
" borealis	Red-tailed "	23
" lineatus	Red-shouldered "	25
" elegans	Red-bellied "	27
" pennsylvanicus	Broad-winged Hawk	28
Archibuteo lagopus	Rough-legged "	30
" Sancti-Johannis	Black "	31
Circus hudsonius	Marsh Harrier	38
Aquila canadensis	Golden Eagle	39
Haliaetus leucocephalus	Bald " young	43
Pandion carolinensis	Fish Hawk	44
Bubo virginianus	Great Horned Owl, young	48
Otus wilsonianus	Long-eared " female	51
Brachyotus cassinii	Short " "	52
Syrnium cinereum	Great Gray " male	53
" nebulosum	Barred "	54
Nyctale richardsoni	Sparrow, male	55
Nyctea nivea	Snowy "	61
Surnia ulula	Hawk " male and female	62

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II.—SCANSORES.

(CLIMBERS.)

		No
Coccygus erythropthalmus	Black-billed Cuckoo, male	70
Picus villosus	Hairy Wood Pecker, male	74
" pubescens	Downy " male	76
Picoides arcticus	Black-backed, 3 toed, Wood Pecker	82
" hirsutus	Banded three-toed "	83
Sphyrapicus varius	Yellow-bellied Wood Pecker, male and female	85
Hylatomus pileatus	Log Cock, male	90
Melanerpes erythrocephalus	Red-headed Wood Pecker	94
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(PERCHERS.)

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Ceryle alcyon	King Fisher	117
Tyrannus carolinensis	King Bird, male and female	124
Empidonax acadicus	Small Green-crested Fly Catcher	143
Turdus mustelinus	Wood Thrush	148
" pallasi	Hermit "	149
" fuscescens	Wilson's " male	151
" migratorius	Robin, male	155
Sialia sialis	Blue Bird	158
Regulus calendula	Ruby-crowned Wren, male	161
" satrapa	Golden-crested "	162
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Geothlypis trichas	Maryland Yellow-throat, male	170
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Dendroica canadensis	Blk-throated Blue Warbler, male	193
" castanea	Bay-breasted " "	197
" striata	Black-poll " "	202
" æstiva	Yellow "	203
" maculosa	Black and Yellow "	204
Myiodioctes canadensis	Canada, male	214
Setophaga ruticilla	Redstart	217
Pyranga rubra	Scarlet Tanager	220
Hirundo lunifrons	Cliff Swallow	226
Progne purpurea	Purple Martin, female	231
Ampelis garrulus	Wax Wing	232
" cedrorum	Cedar Bird, male	233
Collyrio borealis	Great Northern Shrike, male	236
Vireo olivaceus	Red-eyed Vireo	240

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Parus atricapillus	Black-cap Titmouse	290
Eremophila cornuta	Shore Lark	302
Hesperiphona vespertina	Evening Grosbeak	303
Pinicola canadensis	Pine " female	304
Carpodacus purpureus	Purple Finch, male and female	305
Chrysomitris tristis	Yellow Bird—Canadian Goldfinch	313
" pinus	Pine Finch, male and female	317
Curvirostra americana	Red Crossbill, male	318
" leucoptera	White-winged Crossbill, male and female.	319
Ægiothus linaria	Lesser Red Poll	320
Plectrophanes nivalis	Snow Bunting	325
Zonotrichia albicollis	White-breasted Sparrow, male	349
Junco hyemalis	Snow Bird	354
Spizella monticola	Tree Sparrow	357
Melospiza melodia	Song " male	363
Passerella iliaca	Fox-colored Sparrow	374
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Agelaius phoeniceus	Red-winged Blackbird	401
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" americanus	Common Crow	426
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Tetrao canadensis	Spruce Partridge	460
" phasianellus	Sharp-tailed Partridge	
Cupidonia cupido	Prairie Hen, male and female	464
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" albus	White Ptarmigan	470
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(WADERS.)

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Botaurus lentiginosus	Bittern	492
Nyctiardea gardeni	Night Heron	495
Charadrius virginicus	Golden Plover	503
Aegialitis wilsonius	Wilson's "	506
" semipalmatus	Semipalmated Plover	507
Squatarola helvetica	Black-bellied "	510
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" wilsonii	Least Sandpiper	532
Calidris arenaria	Sanderling	534
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Tringoides macularius	Spotted "	543
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" hudsonica	Hudsonian "	548
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Anser hyperboreus	Snow Goose	563
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" brenta	Brant	570
Anas boschas	Mallard	576
Albino "	" albino	576
" obscura	Black Duck, young	577
Dafila acuta	Pin-Tail, male	578
Nettion carolinensis	Green winged Teal	579
Spatula clypeata	Shoveller	583
Aix Sponsa	Wood Duck	587
Fulix affinis	Little black-head, male and female	589
" marila	Greater black-head	588
" collaris	Ring-necked Duck	590
Aythya americana	Red-Head	591
Bucephala americana	Golden Eye, male and female	593
" islandica	Barrow's Golden eye, male	594
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Melanetta velvetina	Velvet Duck, male	601
Pelionetta perspicillata	Surf Duck, female	602
Oidemia americana	Scoter	604
Somateria mollissima	Eider Duck, female, young	606
Mergus americanus	Sheldrake	611
" serrator	Red-breasted Merganser	612
Lophodytes cucullatus	Hooded "	613
Sula basana	Gannet	617
Graculus carbo	Common Cormorant	620
" dilophus	Double-crested "	623
Puffinus cinereus	Cenerious Petrel	651
Larus marinus	Great Black backed Gull	660
" argentatus	Herring Gull, young	661
Chroicocephalus philadelphia	Bonaparte's Gull	670
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Colymbus torquatus	Loon	698
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Alca torda	Razor-billed Auk	711
Mormon arctica	Arctic Puffin	715
Phaleris pusillus	Least Auk	723
Uria grylle	Black Guillemot	726
" lomvia	Foolish "	729
Mergulus alle	Sea Dove	738

LIST OF EUROPEAN BIRDS IN THE MUSEUM.

Accentor Alpinus,
Cinclus aquaticus,
Sturnus vulgaris,
Picus viridis,
Ictomus Hypoleucos,
Picus major,
Alauda Calendra,
Melanerpes formicivorus,
Picus scalaris,
Otidœ houbaræ,
Gray Cuckoo.
Brick Bunting,
Orange crested Wren,

LIST OF EGGS IN MUSEUM,

August, 1873.

Fox-colored Sparrow,
Song "
Tree "
White-crowned "
White-throated "
Field "
Cow Bunting,
Red-winged Starling,
Meadow Lark,
Crow Black Bird,
Carolina Dove,
Ruffed Grouse,
Prairie Hen,
Quail,
Snowy Heron,
Kildeer Plover,
Wilson's "
Piping "
Semi-palmated "
Golden "
Clapper Rail,
Willet,
King Fisher,
Magpie,
Marsh Tern,
Least "
Arctic "
Foster's "
Sooty "
Noddy "
Snow Bird,
Bay-winged Bunting,
American Goldfinch,
Marsh Wren,
Cat Bird,
Pewee Fly-catcher,
Red-eyed "

Red-billed Nuthatch,
White-bellied Swallow,
Barn Swallow,
Martin,
Redstart,
Yellow Warbler,
Blue Bird,
Golden-crowned Thrush,
Hermit "
Wilson's "
Small green-crested Fly-catcher,
Trail's "
Black-billed Cuckoo,
Osprey,
Canada Goose,
Red-necked Diver,
Puffin,
Black Guillemot,
Loon,
Common Guillemot,
Pintail Duck,
Raven,
Gadwall,
Hawk Owl,
Short-eared "
Razor-billed Auk,
Goshawk,
Red-shouldered Hawk,
Marsh "
Cooper's "
Red-breasted Merganser
Goosander,
Wild Duck,
Mallard,
Harlequin Duck,
Red-necked Phalorope.

LIST OF EGGS RECENTLY ADDED TO THE COLLECTION BY PURCHASE.

Order I.—Birds of Prey.

Mexican Vulture,
Duck Hawk,
Squirrel "
Black-capped "
Orange-breasted "
Prairie Falcon,
Baird's Buzzard,
Jer Falcon,
Red-shouldered Hawk,
Marsh "
Pigeon "
Sparrow "
Sharp-shinned "
Long-eared Owl,
Short-eared "

Order II.—Climbers.

Yellow-billed Cuckoo,
Hairy Woodpecker,
Downy "
Golden-winged "
Lewis "

Order III.—Perchers.

King Bird,
Pewee,
Least Fly-catcher,
Long-tailed Thrush,
Long-tailed Mocker,
Wood Thrush,
Wilson's "
Migratory " (*Robin*),
Fire Crest,
Stone-Chat,
Blue Bird,
Red "
Summer Red Bird,
Scarlet Tanager,
Cliff Swallow,
Bank Swallow,
Cedar Bird,
White-rumped Shrike,
Whip-poor-Will,
Yellow-throated Vireo
Warbling "
White-eyed "
Louisiana Tanager,
Savannah Sparrow,
Yellow-winged "
Redpole,
Sharp-tailed Finch,
Sea-side "
Lark "
Ground Robin
Titlark,
Yellow-headed Blackbird,
Mocking Bird,
House Wren,
American Creeper,
Purple Finch,
Wilson's Snow Bird,
Black Snow "
Ground Dove,
Common "
White-bellied Nuthatch,
Boat-tailed Grakle,
Yellow-shafted Flicker,
Heerman's Song Sparrow,
Chipping "
Swamp "
Field "
Black-throated Bunting,
Rose-breasted Grosbeak,
Cardinal,
Bob-o-link (*Rice Bird*),
Red-winged Blackbird,
Orchard Oriole,
Baltimore "
Grakle
Common Crow,

Blue Jay,
Wild Pigeon.

ORDER IV.—GALLINACEOUS.

Spruce Partridge,
Sharp-tailed Grouse.

ORDER V.—WADERS.

American Crane,
Sand-hill Crane,
Reddish Egret,
Great Blue Heron,
Louisiana "
White "
Great Blue "
Least Bittern,
Bittern,
Green Heron,
Night "
Esquimaux Curlew,
Oyster Catcher,
Black-necked Stilt,
English Snipe,
Spotted Sandpiper,
Bonaparte's Sandpiper,
Field Plover,
Rail,
Virginia Rail,
Common "
Florida Gallinule,
Marsh Hen.

ORDER VI.—PALMATED.

Black Duck,
Blue-winged Teal,
Shoveller,
Greater Blackhead,
South Southerly,
Eider Duck,
Summer "
King Eider,
Gannet, Solan Goose
White-headed "
Western Goose
Frigate Pelican,
Brown "
Common Cormorant,
Florida "
Leach's Petrel,
Wilson's "
Ring-billed Gull,
Western "
Short-billed "
Laughing "
Wilson's Tern,
Cabot's "
Caspian "
Royal "
Roseate "
Short-tailed "
Black Skimmer,
Caroline Grebe,
Grebe,
Arctic Puffin,
Foolish Guillemot,
Wrangel's "
Crow "
Murre.

The following Eggs were presented as a gift by M. A. LECHEVALIER, Taxidermist, of Montreal:

Canada Goose,
Great Black Back Gull,
Herring Gull,
Mallard,
Hooded Merganser
Coot
Clapper Rail,
Meadow Lark,
Belted Kingfisher,
European Crow,
Royston "
Red-breasted Partridge.
Hudson Bay Magpie.
Magpie,
Yellow-billed Magpie,

LIST OF ANIMALS.

1. Lyncus rufus.....Wild Cat,
2. Vulpes fulvus.....Red Fox,
3. Castor fiber .....Beaver,
4. Gulo luscus.....Wolverine,
5. Phoca concolor.....American Seal,
6. Hystrix hudsonius.....Porcupine,
7. Mephitis americana.....Skunk,
8. Lepus americanus.....Northern Hare,
9. Arctmys monax.....Woodchuck,
10. Fiber gibeticus.....Muskrat,
11. Putorius vison.....Mink,
12. Didelphis virginiana.....Opossum,
13. Putorius noveborensis.....New-York Ermine,
14. Mustela pusilla.....Small Weasel,
15. Sciurus niger.....Black Squirrel,
16. Sciurus leucotis.....Gray "
17. Sciurus striatus.....Striped "
18. Sciurus hudsonius.....Red "
19. Mus decumanus Common Rat,
20. Mus musculus.....Common Mouse,
21. Arvicola albo-rufescens.....Light-colored Meadow Mouse.

LIST OF FISHES IN MUSEUM.

1. Perca flavescens.....Yellow Perch,
2. Lucioperca americana.....American Sandre,
3. Centrarchus æneus.....Rock Bass,
5. Pomotis vulgaris.....Common Pond Fish,
6. Esox estor.....Maskinongé,
7. Esox lusius.....Common Pike,
8. Osmerus viridescens.....Smelt,
9. Hyodon.....White Fish,
10. Coregonus quadrilateralis.....Round Fish,
11. Lepidosteus huroninsis.....Gar Pike,
12. Catostomus aureolus.....Gilt Sucking Carp,
13. Catostomus communis.....Common Carp,
14. Catostomus.....Carp,
15. Catostomus pallidus.....Pale Carp, male
16. Catostomus pallidus.....Pale Carp, female
17. Scomber scomber.....Spring Mackerel,
18. Gadus maculosus.....Eel-pout,
19. Acipenser oxyrhincus.....Sharp-nosed Sturgeon,
20. Lumpus anglorum .....Lump Fish,
21. Sebastes norvegicus.....Northern Sebastes,

22. Platessa plana.....New York Flat-fish,
23. Morrhua americana..... .....Torsh or Rock Cod,
24. Leuciscus nitidus.....Shining Dace,
25. Morrhua pruniosa.....Tom-cod,
26. Anguilla macrocephala.....Bull-headed Eel,
27. Salmo confines Lake Trout,
27. Lamna caudata.....Long-tailed Porbeagle,
28. Brosmius vulgaris.....Tusk or Cusk,
29. Long-finned Trout, male,
30. Long-finned Trout, female,
31. Microsstenis salmoides.....Gill,
32. Microsstenis ingricans.....Cuviers Gill.

LIST OF UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT MEDALS (WASHINGTON MINT) IN THE MUSEUM.

ARMY MEDALS.

1. Washington before Boston.
2. Major-General Horatio Gates—Saratoga—1777.
3. Colonel George Crogan—for Sandusky—2nd Aug., 1813.
4. Major-General W. H. Harrison—for the Thames—5th Oct., 1813.
5. Governor Isaac Shelby—Battle of the Thames—5th Oct., 1813.
6. Major-General Winfield Scott—for Chippewa and Niagara.
7. Major-General Edmund Gains—for Fort Erie—15th Aug., 1814.
8. Major-Gen. P. B. Porter—Chippewa, 5th July, 1814; Niagara, 25th July. 1814; Fort Erie, 17th Sept., 1814.
9. Major-General Brown, " " " " "
10. Brigadier-General Miller, " " " " "
11. Brigadier-General Ripley, " " " " "
12. Major-General Macomb—Plattsburg.
13. Major-General Zachary Taylor—Resaca de la Palmare—1846.
14. Major-General Z. Taylor—Monterey—Sept., 1846.
15. Major-General Z. Taylor—Buena Vista—22nd Feby., 1847.
16. Major-General Winfield Scott—Vera Cruz, &c.—1847.
17. Major-General U. S. Grant, N.S., N.L.A.—Vicksburg—Chattanooga

NAVY MEDALS.

18. John Paul Jones—"Serapis."
19. Captain Thomas Tington.
20. Captain Hull—Capture of the "Guerrière."
21. Captain Jacob Jones—Capture of the "Frolic."
22. Captain Decatur—Capture of the "Macedonian."
23. Captain Bainbridge—Capture of the "Java."
24. Captain Lawrence—Capture of the "Peacock."

25. Lieutenant McCall.
26. Captain Perry—Capture of the "British fleet on Lake Erie."
27. Captain Warrington—Capture of the "Eperokiet."
28. Captain Blakeley—Capture of the "Reindeer."
29. Captain Thos. Macdonough—Capture of the fleet on Lake Champlain.
30. Captain Henley— " " "
31. Lieutenant Step. Cassin—1814— " " "
32. Captain Biddle—Capture of the "Penguin"—1815.
33. Captain Chas. Stuart—Capture of the "Cyane"—20th Feby., 1815.
34. Major-General A. Jackson—Battle of New Orleans—6th Jany., 1845.
35. Captain W. Burrows—4th Sept., 1813.

PRESIDENTIAL MEDALS.

36. The Cabinet Medal.
37. Thomas Jefferson—1801.
38. James Madison.
39. James Munroe—1817.
40. John Quincy Adams—1825.
41. Andrew Jackson—1829.
42. Martin Van Buren—1837.
43. John Tyler—1841.
44. James K. Polk—1845.
45. Zachary Taylor—1849.
46. Millard Fillmore—1850.
47. Franklin Pierce—1853.
48. James Buchanan—1857.
49. Abraham Lincoln—1862.
50. Andrew Johnson—1865.

SOLE NATIONAL MEDALS.

51. Captain Perry—State of "Pennsylvania"—Lake Erie—10th Sept., 1813.
52. (*Missing.*)
53. Major-General Winfield Scott—Chapultepec—Melino del Rey, &c.
54. Rescue of the Officers and Crew of the United States brig "Janus.'
55. Captain M. Graham—"Rescue of Martin Kystice."
56. The Shipwreck Medal.
57. United States Coast Survey—Gallantry and Humanity—1846.
58. Japanese Embassy Medal.
59. Doctor Frederick Ross—Skill and Humanity.
60. Colonel Armstrong—Destruction of Kiltanning, "Indian Village"—1756.
61. Indian Race Medal.
62. Captains Creighton, Low, and Stouffer—1854.
63. Doctor Hossack—Arts and Science, &c.
64. Commodore M. C. Perry, Boston—Merchants, &c.

MEMORANDUM OF A FEW SPECIMEN ROCKS, OF FOSSILS AND MINERALS LEFT BY FRIENDS OF THE SOCIETY IN THE MUSEUM.

Laminated Limestone.
Stellic Caroline.
Madrepore.
Natural Loadstone, from Leeds, Megantic.
Sulphuret of Copper.
Copper Quartz.
Epidotic Gneiss, from the County of Lanark.
Limestone from Montreal.
Quartz from Ottawa City.
Red Copper, Acton mine.
Galena from the County of Lanark.
Yellow sulphuret.
Granite from the Quarries of Syene.
Coal specimens.
Amethysts from Lake Superior.
Bivalved petrified shells.
Specular Iron Quartz.
Copper Sulphuret from Sherbrooke.
Iron Ore.
Carbonate of Copper Quartz.
Chrome Iron.
California Gold Quartz.
Gray Granite.
Analcine.
Gold, Silver, Copper and a Conglorate (conglomerate.) of Gravel and Gold, from the Alluvial Gold Mines of Ominica, British Columbia.
Copper Pyrites.
Syenite.
Petrified Fish.
Equisitum.
Zoophite.
Basalt.
Sulphurate of Lead from Almeria.
Arnprior Marble.
Meteore Stone.

CANADIAN WOODS, SHEWING OBLIQUE AND TRANSVERSE SECTIONS AND BARK.

PRESENTED BY DR. H. H. MILES.
(TWENTY-FOUR SPECIMENS.)

Prunus Americana.....Red Plum.
Thuya Occidentalis.....Cedar.
Fraxinus Sambucifolia.....Brown Ash.
Fraxinus Americana.....White Ash.
Fagus Ferruginea.....Birch.
Ulmus Americana.....White Elm.
Ulmus Rubra.....Red or Slippery Elm.
Larix Americana.....Tamarack or Larch.
(2) Abies Canadensis.....Hemlock Spruce.
Juglans Cinerea.....Butternut.
Betula Populifolia.....White Birch
Alnus Viridis.....Alder, Green or Mountain.

Alnus Incana.....Alder, Red.
Tilia Americana.....Basswood.
Oystrya Virginica.....Iron or Lever Wood.
(2.) Quercus Alba.....White Oak.
Carya Amara.....Hickory.
(3) Acer Saccharinum.....Maple.
Spicatum and Dasycarpum.....Maple.
Linum Usitatissimum.....Canadian Flax, stalk, flower, seed, and dyed.

MEXICAN AND CALIFORNIAN WOODS, ETC.

(THIRTY-SIX SPECIMENS.)

1. Pinus Douglasii.....
2. Larix Americana, var.....Mexican Larch.
3. Ulmus Americana, var.....Mexican Elm.
4. Magnolia. Magnolia.
5. (2) Betula Excelsa.....Mexican Birch.
6. Salix Alba.....Mexican Willow.
7. (2) Populus Alba.....Poplar.
8. Betula Rubra.....Red Birch.
9. " " .....Blue.
10. Corylus Avellana.....Mexican Hazel.
11. Mexican Apple.
12. Green Osier.
13. Walset Wood.
14. Vitis Perdifloria.....Vine Wood.
15. Berasys Pennsylvanica.....
16. Lynozia Vulgaris.....Mexican Lilac.
17. Cœsalpinia.....Peach Wood, or Nicaragua Wood.
18. Mexican Bush Maple.
19. Pyrus Aucuparia.....Mountain Ash, or Service Tree.
20. Alnus Glutinosa.....Mexican Alder.
21. Sumach.
22. Carga Amara Paludinosa.....Swamp Hickory, or Bitternut.
23. Rosa Paludinosa.....Mexican Swamp Rose.
24. Morus Fructoria.....
25. Fustic Root.
26. Sequia Gigantea.....Wood, Foliage, Bark, Seed and Cone of the mammoth tree of California.
27. Buxus Sempevirens.....Box Wood.

28 to 34. Duplicates, and not named in Mexican Woods.

WOODS, FIBRES, ETC., TROPICAL AND OTHERS.

(SEVENTY-FIVE SPECIMENS.)

1. Anona Cherimolia.....Cherimoyer, West Indies.
2. Guatteria Laurifolia.....White Lance Wood, West Indies.
3. Laplacea Hematoxylon.....Blood Wood, Iron Wood, West Indies.
4. Cinnamodendron Corticosum.....With bark of the same—West Indies.
5. Erythroxelon Areolatum.....Redwood—West Indies.
6. Arto-carpus Integrifolia.....Jack fruit-tree—West Indies.
7. Amyris Balsamifera.....Red Candle Wood—West Indies.
8. Cassia Emarginata.....Yellow Candle Wood—West Indies.
9. (4) Piscidia Erythrina do Carthiginensis.....Dog Wood—West Indies.
10. Casuarina Equisetifolia.....West Indies.
11. Bruya Ebenus.....Jamaica Ebony, with bark of same—West Indies.
11. (3) Peltophorum Linnæ.....Brazilleto—West Indies.
12. Cœsalpinia Coriaria.....Divi-Divi—West Indies.
13. Laguncularia Racemosa.....White Mangrove—West Indies.
14. Chrysophillum Cainito.....Star-apple—West Indies.
15. Dipholis Salicifolia ..... .White Bully Tree—West Indies.
16. Redheart?—West Indies.
17. (2) Cocos Nucifera.....Cocoa Nut—West Indies.
18. Calophyllum Calaba .....Santa Maria—West Indies.
19. Dipholis Nigra.....Black Bully Tree—West Indies.
20. Hogberry?—West Indies.
21. Cordia Gerascauthus.....Jamaica Elm—West Indies.
22. Achras Sideroxylon.....Naseberry Bully Tree—West Indies.
23. Andira Inermis.....Bastard Cabbage Tree—West Indies.
24. Cassada Wood?—West Indies.
25. Simarula Officinalis .....Bitter Damson—West Indies.
26. Laurus Borbonia.....Bluefield's Cedar, or Timbersweet—West Indies
27. Nectandra.....Sweet-wood—West Indies.
28. Amyris?..... .....Black Rosewood—West Indies.
29. Amyris Balsamifera .....White Rosewood—West Indies.
30. Fagus Sylvestris.....Jamaica Beech—West Indies.
31. Canella Alba.....Wild Cinnamon—West Indies.
32. Cupressus Thuyoides?.....White Cedar—West Indies.
33. Amyris?.....White Torch, or Candle Wood—West Indies.
34. Acaeta Arborea ....Wild Tamarind—West Indies.
35. Hymenæa Courbarli.....Locust Tree—West Indies.
36. Pentedeshra Filamentosa.....West Indies.

37, 38, 39. Specimens of heavy Australian Woods, Victoria, N. S. W.—(Names not given)
40. Eucalyptus .....Victoria, N. S. W.
41. Sarcocephalus Ovaifolia.....Queensland, N. S. W.
42 43, Australian Woods—Victoria, N.S.W.—(Names not given.)
44. Eucalyptus Acerbica..... .....Silver Gully Tree—Victoria, N. S.W.
45, 46, 47. Names not given—Victoria, N. S. W.
48. Eucalyptus Odorata.....(Peppermint Tree)—Victoria, N.S.W
49. Banksia Australis.....Honeysuckle, Victoria, N. S. W.
50. Banksia Integrifolia.....Coast Honeysuckle, Victoria, N.S.W.
51. Musk Tree, Victoria, N. S. W.
52. Bambusa Gigantea.....Bamboo, West Indies.
58 to 66. Duplicates of Laplacea Hæmatxoylon, Erythroxilon Areolatum, Amyris, Balsamifera, Piscidia Erythrinia and Carthaginensis, Bruya Ebenus, Laguneularia Racemosa, Chrysophillum Canaito, Dipholis Salicifolia, Cocos Nucifera, Hogberry, Nectandra.

VEGETABLES, FIBRES, ETC.

1. Paritium Elatum.....Cuba Matting, West Indies.
2. Agava Americana.....Fibre or Spanish Aloe, Mexico.
3. Cocos Nucifera.....Cocoa Nut Fibre, West Indies.
4. Sparto Grass and Hibiscus Escalates—Ceylon.
5. Fibre of Thuya Gigantea, with Bark and cordage of same, as used by inhabitants of Vancouver Island, British Columbia.
6. Skutched Fibre of "Linum Usitatissimum Canadensis" as from machine.
7. Fibre of Japanese Weed (Name not given), as prepared for substitute for silk or cotton, but used in manufacture for mixture with these.
8. Humulus Lupulus, fibre of, Lupulane, samples of unbleached, bleached, and spun into thread, Canada.
9. Gutta-Percha (extract of Icosandra gutta), as imported from the Malay Islands.

Two cases of Foreign Butterflies and Insects.

N. B.—The list of names being incomplete it has been found impossible to supply the missing ones.

LIST OF SPECIMENS OF WOODS OF THE CANADIAN FORESTS.

WITH THEIR ENGLISH, FRENCH AND BOTANICAL NAMES.

Presented to the Literary and Historical Society of Quebec by the Provincial Government.

No.	ENGLISH NAME.	FRENCH NAME.	BOTANICAL NAME.
1	Alder	Aulne Commun	Alnus incana.
2	Ash, Mountain	Cormier, (Masquabina)	Pyrus Americana.
3	Ash, Rim	Frêne de Savane	Fraxinus juglandifolia.
4	Ash, Swamp	Frêne rouge	Fraxinus pubescens.
5	Ash, Black	Frêne noir	Fraxinus sambucifolia.
6	Ash, White	Franc Frêne	Fraxinus Americana.
7	Aspen, Large-toothed	Grand Tremble	Populus grandidentata.
8	Basswood	Bois blanc, (Tilleul)	Tilia Americana.
9	Beech	Hêtre	Fagus ferruginea.
10	Beech, Blue	Charme	Carpinus Americana.
11	Birch, Black	Merisier rouge	Betula lenta.
12	Birch, Yellow	Merisier blanc	Betula excelsa.
13	Birch, White	Bouleau	Betula papyracea.
14	Butternut, Smooth	Noyer tendre	Juglans cinerea.
15	Button-wood	Platane	Platanus Occidentalis.
16	Cedar, White	Cédre blanc	Thuja Occidentalis.
17	Cedar, Red	Cédre rouge	Jumperus Virginiana.
18	Cherry, Choke	Cerisier à grappes	Cerasus Virginiana.
19	Cherry, (wild) Black	Cerisier noir	Cerasus Serotina.
20	Chestnut	Châtaignier	Castanea Americana.
21	Chestnut, Horse	Marronnier d'Inde	Æsculus hippocastanum.
22	Cherry, (wild) Red	Petite merise	Cerasus Pennsylvanica.
23	Cotton-wood, (necklace poplar)	Peuplier du Canada	Populus monilifera.
24	Cornell, (Flowering Dogwood	Cornouiller	Cornus Florida.
25	Elm, Grey or White	Orme blanc	Ulmus Americana.
26	Elm, Red	Orme rouge	Ulmus fulva vel rubra.
27	Elm, Slippery	Orme gras	Ulmus fulva.
28	Elm, Soft	Orme	Ulmus racemosa.
29	Fir, Balsam	Sapin	Abies balsamea.
30	Hemlock	Pruche	Abies Canadensis.
31	Hickory, Nocker-nutt	Noyer à noix douces	Carya tomentosa.
32	Hickory, Rough Bark	Noyer dur	Carya alba.
33	Iron Wood	Bois dur	Ostrya Virginica.
34	Maple, Hard	Erable	Acer saccharinum.
35	Maple, Mountain	Plaine bâtarde	Acer spicatum.
36	Maple, Soft Curly	Plaine	Acer rubrum.
37	Maple, Soft, (plane)	Plaine blanche	Acer dasycarpum.
38	Moose Wood	Bois barré (Bois noir)	Acer Pennsylvanicum.
39	Oak, Black	Chêne noir	Quercus tinctoria.
40	Oak, Grey, (Lake)	Chêne gris	Quercus ambigua.
41	Oak, Red	Chêne rouge	Quercus rubra.
42	Oak, White	Chêne blanc	Quercus alba.
43	Oak, White (Ottawa)	Chêne blanc (Ottawa)	Quercus alba.
44	Pine, Red	Pin rouge	Pinus resinosa.
45	Pine, White	Pin blanc	Pinus strobus.
46	Pine, Yellow	Pin jaune	Pinus mitis.
47	Plum, Wild, Yellow	Prunier sauvage	Prunus Americana.
48	Poplar Balsam, or Balm of Gilead	Peuplier baumier, (Tacamahaca)	Populus balsamifera.
49	Poplar, (Common Aspen	Tremble	Populus tremuloides.
50	Sassafras	Sassafras	Sassafras officinalis.
51	Scrub Pine	Pin gris (ou cyprès)	Pinus rupestris.
52	Spruce, White	Epinette blanche	Abies alba.
53	Spruce, Black	Epinette noire	Abies nigra.
54	Sumac	Vinaigrier	Rhus typhina.
55	Tamarac	Epinette rouge	Larix Americana.
56	Thorn, Apple	Pommettier rouge	Cratægus punctata.
57	Thorn, White	Senelier	Cratægus coccinea.
58	Walnut, Black	Noyer noir	Juglans nigra.
59	Willow, Black	Saule noir	Salix nigra.
60	White Wood	Tulipier	Liriodendron tulipifer.

DONATIONS TO THE MUSEUM,

1863.

A collection of North American Unionidae—from Smithsonian Institute, Washington.

Marine Shells and other invertebrata collected by the Officers of the Survey in the River and Gulf of St. Lawrence—from Geological Survey of Canada.

A young Bald Eagle—from Geo. H. Parke, Esq., Quebec.

1 Egg of Night Heron; 2 Eggs of Common Crow; 1 Egg of Yellow shafted Woodpecker; 1 Egg of Cedar Bird; 1 Egg of Tyrant Fly-catcher; 1 Egg of Yellow Warbler; 1 Egg of Crow Blackbird; 1 Egg of Robin, or Red-breasted Thrush—from William Couper, Quebec.

Specimen of Lead Ore from Almeria, Spain; A piece of Tablet supposed to have been erected by Columbus on landing on Turks Island, West Indies; Specimens of Sugar-cane Blossom; Specimens of Sensitive Plant; Specimens of Ipecacuanha Plant; Scales of the Blue-fish—from C. C. Jordesson, Esq.

1 Lizard and a Barnacle, in spirits—from James F. Wolff, Esq., M.D.

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1865.

Specimens of Copper Ore from Harvey Hill Mines—from Herbert Williams, Esq.

Two Coins—from W. White, Esq., Post Office Department.

5-Cent United States Paper Currency—from A. Harvey, Esq.

Canadian Fossils—from G. J. Bowles, Esq.

Specimen of Iron Ore—from M. Miller, Esq.

Spanish Grass, used for paper-making—from G. T. Cary, Esq.

Twenty Stuffed Birds—from Mrs. Dixon, of Bowmanville; presented through R. S. M. Bouchette, Esq.

A number of Fishes and Crustaceans from the Gulf—from P. Fortin, Esq., Corresponding Member of the Society.

Lime Incrustations from the north shore of Newfoundland—from Capt Ascah, Gaspé.

A Star Fish—from A. Halliday, Esq.

An Opossum—from the Smthsonian Institute, Washington.

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1869–70.

Specimens of Devonian Plants collected at the Fern Lodge, near St. John, N.B.—Natural and Historical Society, St. John, N.B.

Copy of Petition from the Commissioners for erecting a Metropolitan Church to Lt.-Governor Milnes, Quebec, 26th June, 1802,—W. Himsworth, Esq.

Painting of an Astrolabe, supposed to belong to Champlain,—J. Langton, Esq.

A Curiosity of Japan from the holy Island of Onesana, said to be a natural production; also, a Japanese Map of Yeddo,—A. Campbell, Esq.

A Fossil Egg ?—J. Neilson, Esq.

Foot of the Kirotherian.—Dr. J. B. Edwards.

A Bronze Medal in commemoration of the Confederation of the Provinces,—Governor-General and Council.

Three Stuffed Birds, viz.: Golden-eyed Duck, an Owl, and a Curlew,—P McNaughton, Esq.

DONATIONS TO THE MUSEUM.

1871-72.

From Alfred Sandham, Esq., Montreal, through J. M. LeMoine, Esq:

1. Bronze Medal—Kebeca Liberata, 1690.
2. " " Frs. Chs. de Lévis, Duc de D'Ampville, 1658.
3. " " Montreal Y. M. C. Association.

From M. Lee, Esq., Quebec:—A Button of Quebec Militia, 1775.

From Col. Strange:—A Tusk of the African Boar.

From Jos. Jones Atcheson, Esq., Baie des Chaleurs, through J. M. LeMoine, Esq.:—Petrefactions from Baie des Chaleurs.

From Maxime Dumont, Esq., through Dr. W. J. Anderson:—An Indian Arrow-Head.

From David Craig, St. Foye:—A Blue-Jay's Nest.

From Master Lockwood:—A piece of Ore; one 10-centime, French Republic, 1871.

From Dr. W. J. Anderson:—A Lake Superior Calumet.

From David Craig, St. Foye:—An old Bayonet, 1760.

From Dr. Johnstone, Pictou, through Dr. W. J. Anderson,:—Dress of Aneiteum Islander—bag, sling, necklace, quiver, poisoned arrows, javelins.

DONATIONS TO THE MUSEUM.

1871.

By H. McHugh, Esq. :—Fossil Shells, &c., &c.
By Miss J. LeSueur :—Three Cards pressed Fern Leaves.
By Crown Lands Department :—One box of Specimens of Woods, the growth and produce of Canada.
By Crown Lands Department :—Valuable Maps of the Province.
By C. N. Montizambert, Esq. :—Collection of Medals and Old Coins.
By Mrs. Gibb :—A valuable collection of European Birds, Audubon's Engravings, Medals, Coins, Casts, and Natural Curiosities.
By A. Campbell, Esq. :—A Pigeon and a Postal Card, French Republic, 1871
By H. McKay, Esq. :—Indian Stone Implements and Pottery.
By C. Baillairgé, Esq. :—Two old Musket-barrels found in the Revetment at St. Lewis Gate, Quebec.
By W. Drum, Esq. :—A piece of the Cat (ship) used by General Wolfe as a Floating Battery in 1759.
By J. U. Gregory, Esq. :—Two Baleens of the Whale stranded at St. Joachim, August, 1871.
By H. S. Scott, Esq. :—A Sepia, or Squid.
By Dr. Boswell :—Two Birds—an Owl and a Hawk.
By Miss K. Douglas :—Four Skins of Egyptian Birds, including those of the Male and Female Partridge of the Nile.
By A. Nicoll, Esq. :—A Bird, Jaw of a small Shark, and a Flying-Fish.
By Lt.-Colonel Pope :—A Model of the Original Block-House Fort on Cape Diamond, previous to the erection of the present Citadel.
By H. H. Miles, Esq :—Samples of Woods and Plants.
By Dr. W. R. Patton :—Small Case of South-American Insects.
By the Hon. J. Fraser :—$85.65 in Confederate State Bills.
By W. D. Campbell, Esq. :— Two Loon Eggs.
By John William Bligh, M. D., C. M., M. R. C. S. E. :—Greater and Smaller Albatross, 3; and two Petrels.
By Dr. Brigham :—A Button with the Initials I. R. A.
By Commander E. P. Ashe :—A Postage Card.
By G. Staton, Esq. :—An Old Coin of 1672.
By H. McHugh, Esq. :—One Pair Moose Deer-Horns.

DONATIONS TO MUSEUM.

1873.

From A. Lechevalier, Esq., Montreal :—36 New Species of Eggs.
" W. Judd, jr., Esq. :—A Shilling-piece of 1763.
" Dr. W. Marsden :—A Ferry Token in use on the Ferry between Quebec and Levis in 1821.

From the Misses Joseph :—A Loon's Egg found at Rivière du Loup *en bas* 1; English Farthing, 5 and 10 centimes, Belgium; Ten and Two centimes, Italian; Five, Two, and One centimes, France; a Five centime French Republic; Twenty, Ten, Five, Two, and One Centimes, Switzerland; Two pieces Lava from Mount Vesuvius; One piece of Brick taken from a House in Pompeii; One piece of Lava from the excavations in Pompeii; One twisted Shell from Mobile; One Starfish from Rivière du Loup *en bas*.

" J. McLaren, Esq. :—Some petrified Shells from Mingan Islands, North Shore, St. Lawrence.

" Dr. Marsden :—A Squid or Ink Fish.

" Dr. Bligh, through Dr. Marsden :—The Fangs of a Rattlesnake.

" J. K. Boswell, Esq :—A Sheldrake ; a Black Woodpecker.

" C. Lindsay, Esq :—A Ten Centime of Charles X.

DONATIONS TO THE MUSEUM.

1874.

Captain Jephson, R.N. :—Silver Coin of Emperor Maximilian; Two Moorish Bronze Coins of 1288.

W. Marsden, M.D. :—A very old Coin.

J. Gillespie, Esq. :—A piece of Iron Pyrites.

C. N. Montizambert, Esq. :—A Picture of the Old Recollet Church, Quebec.

J. Fraser, Esq. :—Two Teeth of the Megatodon.

W. Hunter, Esq. :—Seven Indian Arrow Heads.

A. Sandham, Esq. :—A Medal of Young Men's Christian Association, Montreal.

W. Marchand, Esq. :—Two Rebellion Half Dollars, 1837-8.

C. Tessier, Esq. :—A Coin of the Reign of Elizabeth ; a Coin of the French Republic, 1792 ; a Medal of Napoleon III.

Major Slone :—One Liard de France, 1657 ; One Silver Coin of ancient Date.

An Old Stadaconian :—A Box containing Specimens of Sea Weed, Coral, Sponge, Star Fish, &c.

L. McKay, Esq. :—A Brick from Nineveh, covered with Cuneiform Characters.

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1875.

From P. Poulin, Esq. :—Horns of Chamois ; Rosary from Jerusalem.

" G. Vogt, Esq. :—Silver coin of Chili; Italian Coin of Napoleon ; I Russian Coin.

" Mrs. Algernon Sewell :—Knife from India.

From J. S. Budden, Esq. :—Grape Shot Found on the Plains of Abraham.
" J. C. Cattanach, Esq. :—Silver Coin of the Republic of Haïti.
" A. Graham, Esq. :—Medal of George I.
" H. Dinning, Esq. :—Model of the " Royal William," first steamship that crossed the Atlantic—built at Quebec.
" R. Craig,—French Silver Coin found in the ruins of a house at St. Foye.
" Rev. C. W. Rawson :—Two copies reprints of the " Times."
" Col. J. F. Turnbull :—Reprints of the first copy of the " Times" and other newspapers.
" Prof. J. Douglas :—Tablet with Cuneiform Characters.

DONATIONS TO THE MUSEUM.

1876.

From Rev. H. D. Powis :—Two Specimens of Herpetology.
" Prof. A. N. Macquarrie :—Copper Coin of 1781.
" H. N. Jones, Esq. :—Copy of the " Times," 1805.
" Prof. J. Douglas :—Massachusetts Spy, (newspaper), 1776.
" A. P. Wheeler, Esq. :—Specimen of Ichthyology.
" R. S. M. Bouchette, Esq. :—Twenty Specimens or *fac-similes* of Confederate paper currency in circulation in the early part of the late war, United States.
" W. A. Holwell, Esq. :—Fruit of the Monkey Tamarind; Section of Lace-bark-tree; Two pieces of Chewstick, Powder of Chewstick, (in bottle;) Basket and Strainer made from the Wild Cucumber; Circassian Beans; Job's Tears; also a Descriptive Catalogue of the exhibits sent from the Island of Jamaica, to the Centennial Exhibition, 1876.

DONATIONS TO THE MUSEUM.

1877.

From Jas. Stevenson, Esq., President :—The receipt of the Quarter-Master of the American Army, encamped before Quebec, in Dec., 1775, for two tierces of rum and two barrels of fish, certified by Brigadier-Genl. Arnold.

From E. Fales, Esq. :—Tooth of a Walrus.

From J. J. Foote, Esq. :—The autographs of Lord Brougham and the Right Honble. Geo. Canning.

From W. Moody, Esq. :—Two paper "quinze sous" of 1837, dated at St. Luc.

From H. S. Scott, Esq. :—A piece of marble from the coffin of Robert the Bruce; two commissions bearing the autographs of George III, and of Sir R. Abercrombie, respectively; also, a coin of Pius IX (silver,) two new German coins, and two specimens of Italian paper money.

From J. J. Hatherly, Esq. :—Nine coins, English, Spanish and Italian.
From Prof. McQuarrie :—A Wellington token.
From Geo. Morgan, Esq. :—Peruvian coin.
Two Spanish coins, 1775-1784.
From E. Fales, Esq. :—Peruvian coin, commercial token.
From P. Lee, Esq. :—English cutlass picked up in 1849 near the General Hospital.
From E. L. Montizambert, Esq. :—Collection of Pebbles.
From C. A. Duclos, Esq :—$50 Confederate Note.
From Lt.-Colonel Pope, the autographs of the undersigned persons :—
1 Her Majesty Queen Victoria.
2 H. R. H. Prince George, Duke of Cambridge.
3 Earl de Grey and Ripon.
4 Lord Panmure.
5 The Right Honble. Sidney Herbert.
From J. Pringle, Esq. :—One dollar bill of the Farmers' Bank of Rustico.
From Esdale C. Florance, Esq., of Philadelphia, U. S., through A. Joseph, Esq. :—" Trente sous," a note current in Lower Canada, 1837.
From Dr. Marsden, sent by the late Dr. Bligh, Honorary member of the Society :—Two New Zealand War Clubs.
From Lt.-Colonel Coffin, Ottawa :—Autograph memoir of Sir Etienne Taché relating to the battle of Châteauguay and the attack on Plattsburg.

From Lt. Col. Alphonse Melchior DeSalaberry, eldest son of the " Victor of Chateauguay," through Dr. W. Jas. Anderson, a sketch or plan of the Battle of Chateauguay; also, a massive walking-stick, with inscription thereon, purporting to have belonged to the Canadian hero.
From J. M. LeMoine, Esq. :—a Peacock in rich plumage.
Deposited in the Museum for safe-keeping by James Thompson Harrower, Esq., of Quebec :—" The Sword used by Brigadier-General Richard Montgomery, at the assault on Quebec, 31st December, 1775," and taken from him after death. This heir-loom was bequeathed to Mr. James Thompson Harrower, by his uncle, Deputy Comm. General J. Thompson, son of James Thompson of the 78th Highlanders, who served under Genl. Wolfe at Quebec in 1759, was " Overseer of Works" at Quebec, under Genl. Guy Carleton, in 1775, and who was charged with the burial of Brigadier-Genl. R. Montgomery, 4th January, 1776.
From Théophile Hamel, artist:—Oil painting of Geo. B. Faribault, Esq., President of Literary and Historical Society.
Portrait of His Excellency Governor Sir J. H. Graig.
A new and accurate map of the English empire of North America, published December, 1755.

Address of Lt.-Col. Geo. Bagot, commanding 69th (North Lincolnshire) Regiment, on the occasion of intrusting to the City of Quebec their old and venerable colours, 5th November, 1870.

From Wm. Walker, Esq.:—Water colour drawing, *Quebec in the olden time*, (1822).

In safe keeping for heirs of family:—Portrait in oil of Admiral Saulisbury Pryce Humphreys (Davenport), who commanded H. M. vessel "Leopard" in the attack on the Chesapeake, 1807.

From Brigadier-General de Peyster:—Portrait of General Grant.

From Mrs. Poulin:—Portrait of Hon. Mrs. Aldworth.

From the Author:—Synoptical Chart of Birds of Canada, by J. M. Le Moine, Esq., prepared for the Schools of the Province.

From W. Kirby, Esq.:—Portrait of Brock's Monument in Westminster Abbey.

From Chs. V. Temple, of the "Highlands," Sillery:—A large glass case containing a curious collection of war trophies, acquired by the donor on his visiting the chief battle-fields of the Franco-Prussian war, 1871—Strasburg, Metz, Gravelotte, Sedan: Broken Bayonets, Helmets, Pistols, Spiked Helmet of the Prussian Body-Guard, Helmet of the Uhlans, Shako of French soldier, and a variety of other objects, also a pair of Stirrups from battle-field of Waterloo, a collection of Indian, Peninsula, Waterloo, and other British Medals, &c.

J. M. LEMOINE,

Quebec, 9th January, 1878.